Frank Chance Secures Giant Spitballer as a Twirler for the Yankees

Another Six Footer Joins Chance's Staff

Al Grinier, a Spitballer, Wanted by McGraw, but Secured by Yankees, Is Slated

for Regular Berth.

By HARRY GLASER .-

N EW YORK, N. Y., Feb. 12.—Al Grinier, alias Faddy Green, is now a full fledged member of Frank Chance's squad of six footers, having turned in his signed con-

Bescher Sets Pace for Base Burglars

Player With Cincinnati Reds Has Chance to Break National League Record if He Leads Again This Season in Number of Stelen Hassocks.

Puffs From the Fan's Hop Pipe

OHINNY KILBANE, featherweight, verted in Columbus, Ohio, last week by

New Spring

season by doing what he did last year -namely, setting the pace among the

In the past, in the parent organization, players have won the base steating honors in five campaigns, but not in five consecutive campaigns, but not in five consecutive campaigns, but not in five consecutive campaigns. Bescher, if he ranks No. 1 among the hassock filchers in 1912, will be entitled to all the more credit for shattering a National league record by leading the base steating brigade five years in succession, since he only has been in the National league a trifle over four seasons, joining the Reds in the fag end of the 1908 campaign. Right away he demonstrated that he would bother the catchers, stealing 10 bases in the 22 games in which he participated.

In 1909 Bescher, previously denied a trial with Detroit, led the National leaguers in base stealing with 54 larceines, and the habit he acquired in 1909 he has since maintained, for his rank was No. 1 in 1910, 1811 and 1912.

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Bescher was one of the few Cincinnali players who reserved votes from the Chalmers jury of experts as being the National league's most valuable player, is regarded by many as one of player, is regarded by many as one of the sanest base runners in the profession and has the reputation of never trying to boost his record by making unnecessary steals. That the Rhine-lander knew when to act out to beat his way to either second or third is evidenced by the fact that only 10 times last year he failed to attain the goal for which he set forth. As he made 67 successful steals, his base running average, calculated in the new way, would be 870-figures much more than those made by Clyde Mian, the American lengue's champion base runner.

Bescher's first unsuccessful attempt to steal was in the game played on May 4. Ivy Wingo, of the Cardinals, turning him back from second. Wingo did the

champion, has accepted an offer to

Joe Rivers has started training for his 20 round bout with Knockout Brown which comes off on February 22, at Los Angeles. Brown has already arrived on the coast and will immediately take up training quarters at Venice, California.

The Portland club of the Pacific Coast league has sold pitcher Hen-derson to the Toledo club of the Ameri-

Ad Wolgast has begun light training for his bout with Tommy Murphy at San Francisco, on February 22. Tom Jones, manager of Wolgast, has joined

Leon Ketchel, a younger brother of the famous Stanley Ketchel, is in New York training for a hard campaign in the ring. At present Ketchel weighs only 138 pounds, but has declared his intention to win the middleweight belt. Ketchel it is said has the same development that belied his brother.

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Against St. Louis, 17-Wingo, 8; Bliss, 4; Bresnahan, 3; Snyder, 2; Against Pittsburg, 14-Simon, 7; Kelly, 4; Gibson, 3. Against Boston, 3.—Rariden, 5; Kling, 4. Against Brooklyn, 8-Miller, 7; Erwin, 1.
Against Philadelphia, 7—Killifer, 4;
Dooin, 3.
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president Ban Johnson.

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John Henry, the star catcher of the

NELSON DEFEATS DILLON.

Tamacua, Pa., Feb. 12.—Battling Nelson displayed much of his old time aggressiveness when he knocked out Harry Dillon, of New York in the last round of a scheduled 10 round bout last night. Dillon was down for the

fifth time when club physicians stopped the bout.

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upon him with favor. Green is said to have the "goods," which, is the parlance of the scout, means something entirely different from what the wag fans would tell us by joining the word with his allas. A glimpse of his record made with the Holyoke team last year might not cause a manager to wax over entirely astic at first sight. He figured in 42 contests, of which he won nine and lost 14, with a fourth piace team in a siz club league. But doser inspection shows that the average of base hits to a game allowed by the big fellow was considerably less than charged to the hurlers rated far above him in the list. In the matter of striking out batters, too, Green was far more proficient than any other pitcher in the circuit. There were 212 batsmen whiffed by the new Yankes. But then, what really won him distinction and a big league trial was the EL TOROS NOW LEAD INDUSTRIAL LEAGUE

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Bowlers On the Globe Mills Team Lose Match by Margin of 277 Plus; Binford Rolls High Total,

In the Industrial league match the El Toro quintet won the honors from the Globe Mills team Tuesday night at the Cactus aneys by a margin of 277 pins. The winner of the match went to the top of the industrial league column. Binford rolled high game and total with a run of 51s. All four points were won by the El Billy Sunday, evangelist, Immediately tore up a \$300 a month contract for 1913, declaring he could not work on

Toro team.

Because of the absence of three bowlers from the Old Guard lineup the scheduled match between the Old Guards and Elks did not come off Tuesday night at the Cactus alleys. The match will be rolled off next Sat-

when it comes to hard work, Ed Walsh, White Sox twirler, has it over any pitcher in the game today. Since level an offer of \$1,250 for the 10 round bout.

Frank Mantell, whose middleweight championship aspirations were given a jolt when he was knocked out by Jack Dillon, has arrived in Paris, France. Mantell came to the conclusion, after his defeat by Dillon that he could not get any more fights in this country and went to France.

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The reinstatement of James ("Death Valley Jim") Scott, the Chicago American league baseball team pitcher, is noted in an official bulletin issued by president Ban Johnson. Industrial League. Cement Plant-

Totals 744 707 649 2100 Points won: Cement Plant 4. High game: Binford 208. High total: Binford 516.

John Henry, the star catcher of the Washington club, may never play ball ngain. Two weeks ago he had an operation performed at the Georgetown university hospital for a floating carrilage, which was removed, and it was thought he had fully recovered. Last Thursday he had to return to the hospital, his knee being swollen to twice its normal size, and although he is reported improving tonight, the physicians gave out little hope that the big gatches would return to the same this pital, his knee being swollen to twice its normal size, and although he in reported improving tonight, the physi-cians gave out little hope that the big catcher would return to the game this spring. This will throw all the

First race, selling, 3 year olds and up.
6 furlongs—Mayerdale 93, Ah Moon
*100, Camarada *100, El Toro 110, Layminster 110, Barney Oldfield 110.
Second race, selling, 3 year olds and
up, 5 furlongs—Hasson *21, Swiftsure
F7, Silver Wing 102, Charley Brown 104,
hiugh Gray 194, Quid Nunc 104, Rio
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Third race, selling, 2 year olds and up, 6 furlongs—Luke Van Zandi *90, Zool *103, El Pato 107, Steriin 118, C. W. Kennon 114. Fourth race, selling, 3 year olds and p, 1 mile—Sleepland 99, Salesta 103, L L Eckert 107, Hatteras 107.

M. Eckert 107, Hatteras 197.

Fifth race, selling, 3 year olds and up, 6 furlongs—Mercurium 98, Bonnie Bard *105, Baironia *107, Cantem 110, Zinkand 110, Judge Walton 113.

Sixth race, selling, 3 year olds and up, 5 furlongs—Ernest H. 23, Bells 97, Hazel C. *103, Inquieta 103, Rosevale 112, The Fad 114.

*Five pounds apprentice allowance claimed.

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Second race—Five furlongs, selling, three-year-olds and up, talue \$300. Uncle Jimmle Gray (Kederis) 110, 2 to 4, 1 to 3, out, won. The Fad (Gross) 112, 3 to 1, 3 to 5, 1 to 4, second. Kid Nelson (Groth) 182, 7 to 1, 7 to 10 show, third. Time 1:98 2-5. Stonecutter, Wolfress, Red Rose, Ada Doyle, Don Ramon, ran.

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Third race—Six furlongs, selling, three-year-olds and up, value \$300. Evran (Guy) 110, 3 to 1, even, 1 to 2, won. Bonnie Bard (Teahan) 116, 7 to 2, 6 to 5, 1 to 2, second, Lescar (Rosen) 113, 12 to 1, 2 to 1 show, third. Time 1:24 1-5. Cantem, Boyal Dolly, Rosenta, Phil Connor, ran.

Fourth race—One and one-sixteenth miles, selling, four-year-olds and up, value \$300. Sleepland (Carter) 181, 1 to 2, out place and show, won. El Toro (Teahan) 187, 18 to 1, 5 to 1, 7 to 5, second. Ben Greenleaf (Mulligan) 105, 12 to 1, 4 to 5 show, third. Time 2:01 3-5. Barney Oldfield, Sam Bernard, Dick Baker, ran.

Fifth race—Six furlongs, selling, four-year-olds and up, value \$300. L. M. Eckert (Guy) 107, 7 to 2, 9 to 10, 1 to 4, won. Servicence (Loftus) 112, 4 to 5, 1 to 5, 1 to 5, second. Golden Agnes (Gross) 105, 25 to 1, 3 to 1 show, third. Time 1:23 1-5. Zool. Jim L. Don Enrique, Compton, ran. Sixth race—Six furlongs, selling, three-year-olds and up, value \$300. Tim Judge (Hoffman) 110, 7 to 2, 12 to 10, 1 to 2, won. Russel McGill (Kederis) 107, 6 to 1, 2 to 1, even, second. Dave Montgomery (Halsey) 105, 2 to 1. to 3 show, third. Time 1:23. Velie Forty, Judge Walton, Gelico, Blaze E. ran.

DUPOUY DEFEATS LEWIS. Paris, France, Feb. 12.—The Frenchman, Adrian Dupony, fighting under the name of Hogan, beat Willie Lewis, the New York middleweight, on points in a 20 round fight here last night. Hogan showed superiority throughout the contest.

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BASKETBALL TEAMS TO MEET HERE FEB. 20

City basketball league business was wound up, and arrangements were made for the tederation composed of teams from Arizona, New Mexico, and Texas which will meet in this city on Thursday, February 20, by the officials of the City league at a meeting Tuesday night at the Y. M. C. A. A pd. t-poned match between the Cactus ciub and the High school teams will be played off at a inter date, it was decided. The match between the Cactus and C. A. A. which was postponed Saturday night, will be played next Thursday evening at the new C. A. A. hall on Arizona and St. Vrain streets. Four basketball teams of this city will participate in the federation with a possibility of a fifth. Each team will donate \$5 to the officials of the federation for the expenses of the meet. The teams are: Cactus club, Y. M. C. A. company \$1, 22d infantry, High school and with a possibility of the Electric Stars entering their team. The meet promises to be one of the biggest events in basketball history of El Paso. Efforts are being made to organize a 10 team league for the ers, having turned in his signed contract to secretary Davis, who promptly measured him for a trip to Bermuda. Great things are expected from Green when he gets to camp as well as after the championship race starts.

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ALBUQUERQUE TEAM WILL PLAY HERE SATURDAY. Albuquerque High school basketball players will be the guests of the El players will be the guests of the El Paso students next Saturday when they arrive to play the High school boys and girls team at the Y. M. C. A. A match was played between the two schools, when the High school visited Albuquerque, and as the play was close a good match is expected in both games. The local players were well entertained while in Albuquerque, and preparations are being made to return the courtesy. turn the courtesy.

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UMPINES FOR THE SEASON.

New York, N. Y. Feb. 12.—Peace and
narmony prevailed at the opening sension of the adjourned annual meeting
of the National league of baseball clubs here.

President Lynch announced his selection of umpires for the coming season as follows: R. W. Emslie, R. J. Kellom, Chas. Rigier, Clarence Owens, W.m. Brennan, Al Orth, M. W. Eason, W. J. Guthrie and W. J. Byron. Guthrie and Ryson. Guthrie and W. J. Byron. Guthrie and Byron were with the International league last year.

The commission reinstated pitcher Overall, formerly of the Chicago Nationals, and player Torrey, of the New York Nationals. Overall had been out of the game since 1912. It was stated that he refused to sign a contract in 1911 on the plea of a bad arm. He was reinstated without penalty.

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Frankle Conley, ex-bantamweight champion will make his second appearance before the El Paso boxing fans Wednesday night when he is billed to meet Jack Wells, of Tucumcarl, N. M., in a 10 round bout at the Eagles' hall, on South El Paso street. Conley made his initial exhibition in El Paso several days ago, when he met Kid Payo, the local champion in a six round bout at the Moose club. Wells recently arrived from Tucumcarl, and although he has it on Conley in the matter of weight, a fast and interesting match is expected.

In the semi-windup Jockey Murry will meet Jockey McCullough in a six round bout.

Several singers and plano players will also aid in the entertainment.

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One evening in Lonnon, Bombardler Wells was to fight Runler, a French heavyweight bruiser. Runler was absent. Rodel was coaxed and beats to save the night's entertainseeched to save the night's entertain-ment. He consented with the under-standing that no matter what the outstanding that no matter what the outcome there was to be a return battle.

The battle started. In the second round Rodel slipped to his knee, not from a blow, and when he arose the referee chirped that the fight was over.

This didn't worry the Boer much, for he saw a return engagement in sight.

By ED. CURLEY. By ED. CURLEY.

New York. N. Y., Feb. 13.—
George Rodel, he's a champion, George Rodel, he's a Boer; he trimmed them in the prize ring, and he killed them in a war.

1 can keep on warbling praises if you insist on any more, for this big guy's a bearcat even though he is a Boer.

Sung to the accompaniment of a tin whistle and a comb encased in tissue paper, the litest composition of Joimes Johnson produces a shiver that you never shivered before.

Yea, forsooth, the dirge, the few lines in an altitudinal direction is actually a paean (not pain) chanted by the blighter manager in honor of his latest aspirant for white heavyweight honors. We know about the pain, for we listened yesterday, With windows down and shades drawn, Joimes told us in song, in flute-like voice, what a wonderful man George Rodel was, and, again, is.

George arrived in this country not many days age. And as Joimes said: "The public will have an opportunity of gazing upon the finest specimen of manhood that ever aspired to be a pugillst in the person of George Rodel, a real Boer from South Africa."

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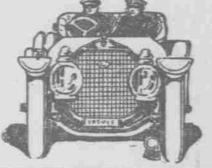
Little did the boxing commissioners figure when they passed the rule prohibiting a white man battling a negro; little did they know, say we. It simply means that Joe Jeannette and Battling Jim Johnson will have to team up again and scrap in the few small towns they overlooked within the past years. past years.
The standing of the clubs is as follows:

Won, Lost, Drawn, P.C. Jeannette 7 3 6 700 Johnson 3 7 8 200

"Officer," in accents bold he shrieked, "produce a johndarm." He had just read the news that Ad Wolgast, a onetime champion, was willing to meet Tommy Murphy in San Francisco on Washington's birthday if "Sunny Jim" Coffroth would alip him \$10,000 and expenses. James would undoubtedly comply with the mild request of the ex-champ if the authorities would allow him to manufacture his own currency.

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